



## Stein Fire Update August 20, 2016



**Contact Fire Information:** 775-455-5316 **Hours:** 7a.m. – 8 p.m.

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**Date of Detection:** August 16, 2016 at 9:18 PM

**Current Size:** 104 acres (size may increase or decrease with more accurate mapping)

**Location:** 15 miles North of Salmon, Idaho

**Legal Description:** 45° 27' 13" x 113° 51' 39"

**Containment:** 0% (to be assessed today)

**Incident Cost:** \$1,200,000.00

**Resources on Fire:** There are approximately 242 personnel on this incident:

Hot Shot CREWS	Type 2 IA CREWS	TYPE 1 HELICOPTERS (HEAVY)	TYPE 2 HELICOPTERS (MED.)	TYPE 3 HELICOPTERS (LIGHTS)	ENGINES	WATER TENDERS	CHIPPERS	DOZERS
4	5	3	1	0	10	3	2	2

### Remarks:

The Great Basin Incident Command Team 3, Mark Rosenthal, Incident Commander (IC), took management of the fire at 6 a.m. this morning. Ordered resources will be put into place as they arrive.

Today's plan of action is to utilize natural and man-made features including burn scars, vegetation treatments, terrain features, and fuel changes in combination with direct and indirect strategies to confine, contain, and suppress the fire where we have the greatest probability of success.

Weather conditions will be dry and temperatures will range from 69 to 73 degrees. Light winds will be out of west to northwest at 1 to 5 mph

There will be a Community Meeting tonight, at the Idaho Fish and Game office conference room on Highway 93 north, in Salmon at 6:00 pm.

### Fire Hazards:

Steep terrain, lots of snags and lack of access roads.

### Closures:

From Morgan Mountain, south along the Continental Divide Trail (CDT) #611 to its intersection with Carmen Creek Trail #6138 in Section 28, T 24 N R23E, BM, then southwesterly down Carmen Creek to the Salmon-Challis National Forests boundary line in Section 13, T23N R22E, BM; then proceeding northwesterly along the Salmon-Challis National Forest Boundary to its intersection with HWY 93 near Wagonhammer Spring in Section 27, T24N R21E; then continuing north along HWY 93 to the intersection of Sheep Creek Road #60077, then easterly up Sheep Creek Road #60077 to Morgan Mountain, the point of beginning. *Primary residence or Owners of the Private Property within the closure area are exempt from this order.* All trails and roads included in the boundaries are **closed** due to the Stein Fire. The above-described area is within the proclaimed and administrative boundaries of the North Fork Ranger District, Salmon-Challis National Forest, Lemhi County, Idaho. You can view the closure order and map online at on the Inciweb and Facebook URLs listed above. ###